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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 22, 2008, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: